



**Minutes of the**  
**City Commission for the City of Traverse City**  
**Study Session**  
**June 23, 2014**

A study session of the City Commission of the City of Traverse City was called to order at the Commission Chambers, Governmental Center, 400 Boardman Avenue, Traverse City, Michigan, at 7 p.m.

The following Commissioners were present, constituting a quorum: Mayor Michael Estes, Mayor Pro Tem James Carruthers, Barbara D. Budros, Jeanine Easterday, Gary Howe, Ross Richardson, Tim Werner.

The following Commissioners were absent: None.

Mayor Michael Estes presided at the meeting.

1.

Discussion regarding a possible joint City of Traverse City - Grand Traverse County Housing Task Force.

The following addressed the Commission:

Jered Ottenwess, City Manager

2.

Discussion regarding targeted redevelopment areas.

The following addressed the Commission:

Jered Ottenwess, City Manager

Jean Derenzy, Grand Traverse County Deputy Director of Planning and

Development

3.

Discussion regarding City Commission goals and objectives.

The following addressed the Commission:

Jered Ottenwess, City Manager

4.

Announcements from the City Clerk.

The following addressed the Commission:

Benjamin Marentette, City Clerk

5.

Public comment.

The following addressed the Commission:

Rick Buckhalter, 932 Kelley Street

Justin Reid, 630 Cottageview Drive

Sharon Carmean, 1662 Moonrise Court, Peninsula Township, city business owner

Mike McDonald, 10843 Talon Court, Peninsula Township

Patricia Nugent, 11633 Willow Point Drive, Peninsula Township

Commissioner Gary Howe

Mayor Pro Tem James Carruthers

Commissioner Ross Richardson

Mayor Michael Estes

There being no objection, Mayor Michael Estes declared the meeting adjourned at 8:25 pm.

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Benjamin C Marentette, CMC  
City Clerk

Approved: \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_  
(Date) (Initials)